ThinkPad® T420s 4173

Type-model	Processor	Memory	Wide-screen display	Camera	Disk SATA GB[8] rpm	Optical or battery	PCIe Mini Card WLAN	PCIe Mini Card WWAN/mSATA	Carrier	Smart Card Reader	Finger print reader	Blue-tooth	Global (G) Intel vPro	GMP (P)	Pre-load
4173-KUU	i5-2540M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	320G 7200	Bay battery	Intel 6205[28]	WWAN upg				Blue	vPro		Pro 64
4173-KTU	i5-2540M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	320G 7200	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg				Blue	vPro		Pro 64
4173-KSU	i5-2540M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	128G SSD	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg				Blue	vPro		Pro 64
4173-29U	i5-2520M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+		320G 7200	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg			Fing	Blue	vPro	G	Pro 64
4173-2AU	i5-2520M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	128G SSD	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg				Blue	vPro	G	Pro 64
4173-2BU	i5-2520M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	320G 7200	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg				Blue	vPro	G	Pro 64
4173-L5U	i5-2520M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+		320G 7200	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg		Smart			vPro		Pro 64
4173-L6U	i5-2520M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	128G SSD	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg			Fing	Blue	vPro		Pro 64
☞ 4173-LBU	i5-2520M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	128G SSD	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	Gobi 3000	selectable		Fing	Blue	vPro		Pro 64
☞ 4173-L8U	i5-2520M	4GBx1	14.0" HD+	720p	128G SSD	DVD±RW	Intel 6205	WWAN upg			Fing	Blue	vPro	G	Pro 64

- ***These models have a depot repair service 3-year limited warranty***
- ***These systems are Microsoft® Office 2010 Product Key Ready (O10PKR)***

Positioning	*Premiere performance and ultraportability; two spindles*
Processor	**Intel® Core™ i5-2520M processor (dual-core, 2.50GHz, 3MB Cache)**, DDR3 memory controller (up to 1333MHz), Intel Turbo Boost 2.0 (3.20GHz), HT technology **Intel Core i5-2540M processor (dual-core, 2.60GHz, 3MB Cache)**, DDR3 memory controller (up to 1333MHz), Intel Turbo Boost 2.0 (3.30GHz), HT technology
Memory	8GB max[7] / PC3-10600 1333MHz DDR3, non-parity, dual-channel capable, two 204-pin SO-DIMM sockets
Optical	*Some:* DVD burner, 9.5mm Ultrabay slim, removable
Bay battery	*Some:* ThinkPad Battery 42 (3-cell, bay) (57Y4536) in Option Bay
Ultrabay	One modular bay for interchangeable devices (right side), 9.5mm high, bottom access
SATA disk	*Some:* Solid State Drive (SSD) / SATA 3.0Gb/s, 2.5" wide, 7mm high *Some:* Hard Disk Drive / SATA 3.0Gb/s, 2.5" wide, 7mm high, Active Protection System™ *All:* removable, upgradable, supports the second disk, Shock Mounted Hard Drive
mSATA™ SSD	None
Widescreen display	**14.0"** (355mm) **HD+ (1600x900) color**, anti-glare, LED backlight, 250 nits, 16:9 aspect ratio, 300:1 contrast ratio
Camera	*Some:* HD720p resolution, wider view angle, low light sensitive, fixed focus
Graphics	**Intel HD Graphics 3000** in processor, external analog monitor support via VGA DB-15 connector and digital monitor support via DisplayPort (supports single-link DVI-D via cable 45J7915); supports dual independent display; *Maximum external resolution:* 2560x1600 (DisplayPort)@60Hz; 2048x1536 (VGA)@75Hz; 1920x1200@60Hz (single-link DVI-D via cable 45J7915)
Keyboard	7 row, 89-key, ThinkVantage button, spill-resistant, multimedia Fn keys
TrackPoint®	TrackPoint® pointing device, "Press-to-Select," Internet Scroll Bar[13], magnifying glass
Touchpad	UltraNav™, wide touchpad below keyboard, Tap Zones, scrolling regions label, multi-touch
ThinkLight™	Illuminates the keyboard to improve visibility in low-light conditions
Dimensions[3]	*14.0W" (WxDxH):* 13.5" x 9.1" x 0.83–1.02"; 343 x 230.1mm x 21.2–26.0mm
Weight[2]	*6-cell:* starting at 3.68 lb (1.67kg)
Case material	*Display cover:* Hybrid Carbon-fiber reinforced plastic; *Bottom:* Magnesium alloy
Battery - type	Lithium Ion 6-cell, supports unique 2nd battery in Ultrabay Slim
Battery - life[10]	*6-cell:* up to 5.5 hr; *6-cell plus Ultrabay battery:* up to 9.3 hr
Chipset	**Mobile Intel QM67 Express Chipset**
ExpressCard	One slot (ExpressCard/34)
Smart Card Read	*Some:* Smart Card reader
Multicard Reader	4-in-1 reader (MMC, SD, SDHC, SDXC)
Ports	Two USB 2.0 (one powered), one USB 3.0, external monitor (VGA DB-15, DisplayPort), ethernet (RJ-45)
PCIe Mini Card	Two PCI Express Mini Card slots
WLAN[4]	11a/b/g/n, PCIe Half Mini Card, Intel Centrino® Advanced-N 6205, 2x2
WWAN	*Some:* Wireless WAN upgradable *Some:* Wireless WAN, Qualcomm® Gobi™ 3000 chipset, PCIe Mini Card, EV-DO Rev. A, GPRS/WCDMA/HSPA, GPS *Some:* User selectable at first boot, AT&T®, Verizon®, or Sprint®, contract required with service provider
Modem	None
Bluetooth™	*Some:* Bluetooth 3.0 wireless, LED indicator
Ethernet	Intel 82579LM Gigabit Network Connection (Lewisville), PHY, PCIe x1
Intel AMT	Intel Active Management Technology (iAMT)
Audio support	High Definition (HD) Audio, Conexant 20672 codec / stereo speakers, 1 watt x 2 / volume up, down, mute buttons / dual array mic, mic mute button, combo audio/mic jack
Security	Power-on password, hard disk password, supervisor password, security keyhole
Security chip	Trusted Platform Module, TCG 1.2-compliant
Fingerprint reader	*Some:* UPEK Fingerprint reader on palm rest, swipe sensor, LED indicator, Power On Authentication, supports the security chip
Limited warranty[12]	**3-years**/1-yr battery - depot repair service / service upgrades[22] available

Preloaded operating system[20]
- Genuine Windows® 7 Professional 64

Ready to install applications[14] (all OSes; only some listed)
- Rescue and Recovery™
- Access Connections™
- Fingerprint Software (fingerprint models)
- Password Manager (fingerprint models)
- ThinkVantage System Update
- ThinkVantage Power Manager
- ThinkVantage Toolbox

Preloaded applications[14] (all OSes; only some listed)
- Norton™ Internet Security 2011 (30 days of virus definitions)
- Adobe® Reader®
- Skype™ for Windows
- Windows Live™ Essentials
- Microsoft Office 2010 preloaded; purchase product key to activate
- Corel® WinDVD® (DVD±RW)
- Corel Burn.Now™ Lenovo Edition (DVD±RW)
- Corel DVD MovieFactory® Lenovo Edition (DVD±RW)

Supports ThinkVantage® technologies

65-watt AC adapter
ThinkPad Roll Cage (one-piece magnesium frame)
EPEAT™ Gold rating
ENERGY STAR® 5.0-compliant
RoHS-compliant
International Warranty Service[17]
24 hour x 7 day[18] toll-free support during the warranty period[12] via 800-426-7378

For compatible accessories, please go to O-T420-S sheet;

For ThinkPlus™,[22] service upgrade options, please go to S-TA sheet

See footnotes for more detailed information

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